

R E M A R K S

Applicant wishes to thank Examiner for granting the interview held on July 26, 2005. This amendment is submitted in RCE format, as advised by Examiner. The fee for an RCE is enclosed, together with a one month extension fee beyond the due date of July 26, 2005. Applicant concurs with the Examiner's statement of the interview substance, it being indicated that agreement was reached. Counsel's understanding is that agreement was reached as to allowability of claim 1, as set forth in the proposed amendment faxed to Examiner on July 19, 2005.

Claim 1, as amended, includes:

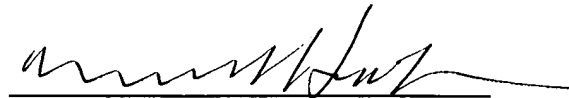
g) and including a connector plate having lug projecting generally normal to the plate and connected to said first carrier along length thereof and at the level of said plate but in spaced relation to the plate and spaced below the second gauge for carrying said assembly, with a plane defined by the carriers extending normal to a plane defined by the connector plate, the plate having radially extending openings configured to pass bolts for bolt-on connection to said vehicle wheel mount.

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See for example the lug shown at 62, in Figs. 3 and 4 and serving to space the first carrier from the connector plate, and in the relationship to the second gauge, shown at 15, facilitating ease of use of the multiple gauge assembly, with three adjustable gauges, and in relation to the connector plate. Such an improved assembly is not suggested by the cited art including Dent, or Dent in view of Mason or Rish, these references having no such lug nor is there motivation shown in either reference to combine them to provide such a lug in the claimed relationship to other structure.

Accordingly, it is believed and urged that base claim 1 and the dependent claims, should be in condition for formal allowance, which is respectfully solicited.

Respectfully submitted,



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